

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM  
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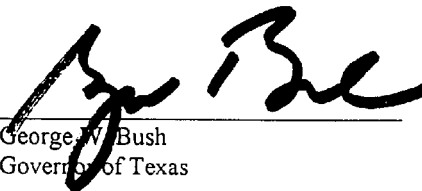
TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, George W. Bush, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove and veto **House Bill No. 1733** because of the following objections:

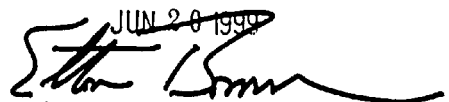
House Bill No. 1733 removes from the Texas Education Code the 17-member limit on the size of the Special Education Advisory Panel. This change could create undue pressure to expand the Panel's membership to an unworkable size and thus severely impair its capacity to function effectively. Further, the bill unfairly prohibits a parent of a child with disabilities from serving on the Panel if the parent is an employee of a school district or a program that delivers services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 20th day of June, 1999.



  
George W. Bush  
Governor of Texas

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